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THEY PREFER OURS

No Wonder,
Simple as A B C.
Ours Cost Less
Ours Wear Better
They Have More
Style

It's about as difficult to describe these new clothes as to write about the prettiest girl at Leap Year Party. You've got to see her with your own eyes. Maybe you'll like her—if you don't there are others. So, if one suit doesn't please you, we've another. It's a question of taste. Prices? That lies with you. The better the clothes you buy, the longer they last and the better they look while you're wearing them. But everyone prefers ours. They are best.

E. L COCKRELL
LIVINGSTON, KY.

\$ 19.99

IT'S easier and more convenient to write a check for this amount than to count out a ten, a five and four ones, a half, a quarter, two dimes and four pennies.

A checking account in our bank does away with all such bothersome difficulties for you always have the right change when you write a check. But that is merely one of the many advantages chief among which is Automatic Bookkeeping.

BANK WITH US
PEOPLES BANK
MT. VERNON, KY.



The Helping Hand

you can most surely depend upon in time of trouble is your bank account. Better start to acquire a big one by depositing what you have in The Bank of Mt. Vernon.

You'll find the necessity of thinking before paying a great incentive to saving. When trouble comes what you have been prevented from frittering away will make a comfortable balance.

The Bank of Mt. Vernon

LIVINGSTON.

Mrs. Julia Chappell of Habberham returned to her home Sunday.—Rev. White assisted by Rev. Disney of Barboursville, will begin a series of meetings here next Saturday. They are holiness preachers.—One of our widows informed us the other day that her single days were about over and the wedding bells would soon chime and if we didn't believe it to ask T. D.—Mrs. Bettie Pike has completed her school and has returned home.—Miss Aggie Poynter was at Pine Hill Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Theo Graves have returned from Paris, where they have been visiting relatives for a few days.—Mrs. Lon Argenbright, of Knoxville, Tenn., is visiting relatives here and was at Mt. Vernon Saturday.—A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Marshal has pneumonia.—W. M. French of the long branch section is very low at this writing.—Sam Ward of Chicago, who has been visiting relatives here for the past week has returned home—Miss Alice Ward and Miss Ella Mae Farley were in Brodhead Saturday and Sunday.—S. C. Franklin of Mt. Vernon was in our town Saturday.—Miss Tempest Ward of Brodhead, and a teacher in our school here, was with home-folks Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. Ab Sparks of Mt. Vernon, was here between trains Friday.—J. M. Fourc is in Paris a few days this week.—Mr. I. W. Catlin was called home, to Lebanon Monday, on the account of the death of his grandmother.—Prof. W. R. Dickerson is talking of getting up a night school for boys at this place.—Thomas Jones has been confined to his room for some time with rheumatism.—Mr. Mablon Summers is very sick at this writing.—W. O. Dilly, master of trains of the Lebanon branch division was in our town Saturday.—John Overbay of near Mt. Vernon, has purchased a small farm from John Mink, price paid \$250.—Mrs. Joe Mink of Richmond, visited relatives here Saturday.—N. H. Oliver was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday.—A. C. Carpenter was in London Monday.—A Mr. Wilmett of Knoxville, has made regular trips here every Sunday for some time and we think one of our good looking widows is the attraction.—On last Saturday night Miss Mabel Nicely gave a party to her many friends, those present were Misses Ethel Hayes, Jessie Smith, Cleo Pennington, Georgia Amyx, Florence Pennington, Carrie Ponder, Nettie Rice, Ella Mae Blauford, Annie Walton, Messrs. Rice, Walton, Earl Rice, Floyd Mullins, Scott Dickerson, John Clark, Walter Rice, Walter Brownning and Joe Childress all report a nice time.—Well we spent a few hours in the little city of Mt. Vernon Wednesday and as we only had a couple of hours to stay we only got a partial view of the town and we are unable to give the subject justice, but will say there has been great changes made, especially in the buildings, for where once stood boxed and framed houses in their stead, now stands two and three story brick houses. We got a glimpse of the pikes which we consider a great blessing to Mt. Vernon. It seems that all the merchants are having a large trade. We visited the store of J. Fish & Son and found those clever gentlemen busy, waiting on their trade, next we visited the establishment of S. C. Franklin and there found every thing from a horse pistol, used in the war of 1776 to a flash light. Mr. J. W. Rider who has just moved into his new house, is having a splendid trade and there we met our old friend James Maret and Old Cull was there with that jolly laugh. At some future date we intend to spend a day or two then and we will be able to picture the town better.—O. D. Bryant who has been sick for some time is able to be at his post.—Oscar Ponder is working at the freight house while I. W. Catlin is away.—Mrs. Moss Mullins of Paris is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mounts.—John Lair of Carico, was with our merchants Tuesday.—Mrs. R. J. Lemonds and daughter

ter, Miss Elizabeth are in London this week.—J. E. Woodall the hustling salesman of London was here Tuesday.—Mrs. Sallie Cottongim of Pine Hill, after a weeks visit with Mrs. W. H. Cottongim at Mt. Vernon, this term of court Jan. 17th at half over Citizens Bank.—Walter Smith made his usual weekly calls this week. When a fellow comes to town about three times a week, we feel like that the attractions are becoming somewhat of a serious nature.

BRODHEAD.

In our letter last week we forgot to mention the serious illness of Master Gervase Gravely of a few days previous. He had a severe attack of diphtheria, and Dr. J. G. Carpenter, of Stanford, was here in consultation with the boy's father, Dr. W. E. Gravely. We are glad to report his recovery.—A small child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris had diphtheria a few days ago. For a time it seemed most impossible for the child to live, but finally the disease yielded to the treatment, and the little fellow is well again. Dr. Carter was the attending physician.—J. E. Rawlinson, of Louisville, who was recently made Supervisor of Bridges and Buildings for the L. & N. R. R. Co. for this division made his first visit to our town Tuesday. He expressed his surprise at kind of depot Brodhead has, and said that he did not know of another on the whole system in a worse condition. The citizens of this place have asked the Railroad Company to give better depot facilities, and they have ignored every appeal, not even showing courtesy of a reply, and unless the matter is taken up before spring, the Railroad Commissioners will be called upon to investigate the matter. We don't mean to be the worst on the map when it can so easily be avoided.—Thomas Jones has been confined to his room for some time with rheumatism.—Mr. Mablon Summers is very sick at this writing.—W. O. Dilly, master of trains of the Lebanon branch division was in our town Saturday.—John Overbay of near Mt. Vernon, has purchased a small farm from John Mink, price paid \$250.—Mrs. Joe Mink of Richmond, visited relatives here Saturday.—N. H. Oliver was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday.—A. C. Carpenter was in London Monday.—A Mr. Wilmett of Knoxville, has made regular trips here every Sunday for some time and we think one of our good looking widows is the attraction.—On last Saturday night Miss Mabel Nicely gave a party to her many friends, those present were Misses Ethel Hayes, Jessie Smith, Cleo Pennington, Georgia Amyx, Florence Pennington, Carrie Ponder, Nettie Rice, Ella Mae Blauford, Annie Walton, Messrs. Rice, Walton, Earl Rice, Floyd Mullins, Scott Dickerson, John Clark, Walter Rice, Walter Brownning and Joe Childress all report a nice time.—Well we spent a few hours in the little city of Mt. Vernon Wednesday and as we only had a couple of hours to stay we only got a partial view of the town and we are unable to give the subject justice, but will say there has been great changes made, especially in the buildings, for where once stood boxed and framed houses in their stead, now stands two and three story brick houses. We got a glimpse of the pikes which we consider a great blessing to Mt. Vernon. It seems that all the merchants are having a large trade. We visited the store of J. Fish & Son and found those clever gentlemen busy, waiting on their trade, next we visited the establishment of S. C. Franklin and there found every thing from a horse pistol, used in the war of 1776 to a flash light. Mr. J. W. Rider who has just moved into his new house, is having a splendid trade and there we met our old friend James Maret and Old Cull was there with that jolly laugh. At some future date we intend to spend a day or two then and we will be able to picture the town better.—O. D. Bryant who has been sick for some time is able to be at his post.—Oscar Ponder is working at the freight house while I. W. Catlin is away.—Mrs. Moss Mullins of Paris is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mounts.—John Lair of Carico, was with our merchants Tuesday.—Mrs. R. J. Lemonds and daughter

clothes with him. That looks like John will soon be a real mail clerk

—Every body come to the play Saturday night. It will do you good, and help a worthy cause Don't forget the time—Saturday Jan. 17th at half over Citizens Bank.—Walter Smith made his usual weekly calls this week. When a fellow comes to town about three times a week, we feel like that the attractions are becoming somewhat of a serious nature.

SOME FIRST THINGS BROUGHT TO, NAMED OR TO OCCUR IN ROCKCASTLE

"By J. M."

On Jan. 4th, 1907 the writer published a list of many "first things" in our county, such as who brought first cook stove to the county; the first sewing machine; first mower; first cast iron cane mill, etc. That list is preserved in our scrap book, probably others have done likewise. Here are a few more "firsts":

First visitor to Philippine Island Dr. John M. Williams, Car load of stoves, car load crockery, by U. G. Baker; Trip to Germany, to attend medical school, Dr. R. J. Brown; Adding machine, Bank of Mt. Vernon; Telephone switchboard, Bastin and Maret, in 1900; Air compressor, air drills and big blast hole gasoline drills, W. J. Sparks Co.; First parcel post package, received by James Maret from Dr. M. Pennington, Bertha, Ky.; First fast light dealer, S. C. Franklin; Exclusive clothing and shoe store, J. Fish; chilled, buglar proof, safe Citizens Bank Brodhead, Peoples Bank Mt. Vernon, second; concrete building, J. Fish; Commercial Club organized Jan. and Feb. 1913, U. D. Baker, Pres. C. C. Davis, V. P., James Maret, Sec'y; Boone Way Booster Band was organized on 22nd of same month, W. H. Fish, Pres. Rev. Geo. S. Watson, V. P., S. C. Franklin, Ass't Sec'y; Moving pictures, A. B. Furnish & Co. 1912; Boone Way Hotel, Mt. Vernon, by J. W. Rider, 1913; Boone Way opera house, by Geo. Owens the moving picture man, 1914; Glass paper eraser, A. B. Furnish; Vapogum against typhoid fever, Dr. Lee Chesnut, 1913; Graded School Brodhead first, Mt. Vernon second; Newspaper folding machine, E. S. Albright; First telegraph operator to learn in the county, Jack Maret; Train dispatcher, J. M. Williams; About the first railroad conductors, Capt. Geo. Roberts and Geo. Delph; Hand broken ballast (as a business proposition) R. A. Welsh.

HOW'S THIS

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm National Bank of Commerce, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY In the Matter } of } In Bankruptcy ANDREW J. SAMS

RICHMOND, KY.,
January 13, 1914.

To the creditors of Andrew J. Sams, of Livingston, in the County of Rockcastle, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on

January 9th, 1914, the said Andrew J. Sams was duly adjudged a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the under-

signed referee in Richmond, Ky.,

on January 30th, at 2 o'clock p.m.,

at which time the said creditors

may attend, prove their claims,

appoint a trustee, examine the

bankrupt, and transact such other

business as may properly come

before said meeting.

A. R. BURNAM, Jr.,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

BAKER'S BARGAIN

GROCERY SALE!

25 lb Bag Standard Granulated Sugar	\$1.20
25 lb Bag Granulated Sugar, muslin bags, for	1.00 with purchase of 5 lbs good Rio Coffee 1.00
1 Bbl. Finest Pat. Flour, guaranteed	\$5.50
1 Bag Finest Pat. Flour, 24 lb.	.70
1 Bbl. Fine 2nd Pat. Flour	5.00
1 24 lb bag 2nd Pat. Flour for	.65
1 10 lb. bag good, Roasted Coffee, for	1.50
3 Big 5c Boxes Matches, for	.10
1 Gallon Bucket "Karo" Syrup	.35
Finest hand-picked Navy Beans, per lb	.05
3 Cans Fine Sugar Corn, for	.25
3 Cans Big, 2 lb. Tomatoes, for	.25
3 Cans Pink Salmon, for	.25
3 Cans Nice Pumpkin, for	.25
3 Cans "Scott County" Hominy, for	.25
3 Cans Fine Peaches, for	.25
3 Cans 10c-size Bon Bon Baking Powders	.25c
3 pounds best Head Rice, for	.25

A Most Startling and Extraordinary Clearance Sale

PRICES SMASHED

A Golden Opportunity for the People

We must sacrifice the balance of our Winter Goods to make room for Spring Goods.

Men's and Boy's Suits, Overcoats, Sweaters, Underwear, Ladies' and Misses' Suits, Cloaks, Coats, Winter Dress Goods, Shoes, Hosiery, and a long list of seasonable goods, are cut to give-away-prices. Not enough of any item to quote prices on here. Come at once and share in the feast.

— and don't forget that,

when you are in need of American Fence, Hardware, Furniture, Stoves and Ranges, Salt, or anything else, the man to see is

The Right Goods	U. G. BAKER	The Right Prices
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MT. VERNON KENTUCKY

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BRISTOL TO LEXINGTON

[Continued from last week.]

In order to accomplish this work, Kentucky only has to do as much as Virginia, and assuming that the Kentuckians will do their share of the work with the same progressive spirit that characterizes the Virginians, the highway will be an accomplished fact in the next two or three years.

Many persons laughed at the impracticability of constructing the Memphis-to-Bristol highway across Tennessee, but that road is now about three-fourths completed while the same spirit that prompted it has aroused the Virginians to the task of constructing a similar highway from Bristol across the Old Dominion to the national capital. The same people are also constructing a highway from Bristol to Bluefield, W. Va., and the good road enthusiasts assert that this is the beginning of what is destined to be the Bristol-to-Pittsburgh highway.

Leaving Bristol, the Bristol-to-Lexington highway runs nine miles thru Washington County, Virginia, which link has just been surveyed by the state highway engineer. The funds to build this link have been provided by bond issue and private subscriptions. Scott county adjoins Washington. This county has voted bonds for the building of its link of the new highway, and work is to be commenced in the spring. Lee county, which adjoins Scott on the west, has already constructed nearly fifty miles of the new highway. This means that the Virginians have provided for 75 of its 95 miles of the Bristol-to-Lexington highway, extending to Cumberland Gap.

From Cumberland Gap, Bell County, Kentucky, has constructed a macadam road to Middlesboro, but from that town to Crab Orchard, Ky., a distance of 98 miles, the highway has not been provided for. At Crab Orchard the highway route connects with the Central Kentucky system of turnpikes, over which Lexington and other Kentucky towns may be reached.

The Bristol-to-Lexington Highway Association will take up with the county officials and with others in Kentucky the matter of pushing this undertaking to completion. It is believed, judging from information recently published concerning road legislation in Kentucky, that that state will soon be in a position to enter more actively into the work of road construction. The building of the link from Middlesboro to Crab Orchard would be a notable triumph, since it would be the means of completing this highway direct from the southeast into Kentucky and Ohio.

It is doubtful if Kentucky could enter upon another single enterprise that would hold more of significance to the people of that state than that of building the necessary links to make a complete highway, extending from Lexington to Bristol. Not only would Kentuckians then have a direct route over the Blue Ridge to the South Atlantic states, but a familiar route eastward to Richmond, Norfolk and Washington; for the Bristol-to-Washington highway will be completed before it will be possible to construct the links to complete the Bristol-to-Lexington road.

For a direct route between Kentucky and the Middle West State the Bristol-to-Lexington Highway is absolutely essential, and that the Kentuckians appreciate this is not to be doubted for a moment. Travel from the Middle West to the Southeast in automobile can

STOCK REDUCING SALE



**Change places with us
for a short time and you will
know why we have forgotten
about profits.**



The weather man has been kind to you in one way,
while he has been very unkind to us - he has made it possible for you
to save money, while making it necessary for us to take the loss.

**Berating the weather man will do us no good - we
must take our medicine, we must get money out of the merchandise
that was bought to serve you in cold weather - there will be cold weather but un-
fortunately for us we cannot wait for it - we have too many winter goods to sell.**

**Prices must tell the rest of the story and we intend
to make them work overtime - two dollars will do the work of four
(for you) from now until our stocks are in the cash drawer.**

'Nuf sed - here's the story in figures.

Ladies' Suits

\$ 12 50	instead of	\$ 25 00
10 00	instead of	20 00
9 75	instead of	18 50
8 75	instead of	16 50
8 00	instead of	16 00
7 75	instead of	12 50

Ladies' Coats

\$ 10 00	instead of	\$ 20 00
10 00	instead of	18 00
9 75	instead of	16 50
8 75	instead of	13 50
8 00	instead of	12 50
7 75	instead of	5 00

Money - working - overtime discounts

IN OTHER DEPARTMENTS

Men's Suits

\$ 14 50	instead of	\$ 20 00
13 00	instead of	18 50
12 50	instead of	15 50
10 50	instead of	12 50
7 75	instead of	10 00

Ladies' Hats

\$ 1 95	instead of	\$ 8 00
1 95	instead of	7 00
1 95	instead of	6 00
1 75	instead of	4 00
1 50	instead of	3 00
1 00	instead of	2 50

Hand Bags

\$ 10 00	instead of	\$ 12 50
9 00	instead of	11 50
8 50	instead of	10 00
8 00	instead of	9 50
6 00	instead of	7 50

Men's Pants

\$ 3 50	instead of	\$ 4 50
3 00	instead of	4 00
2 75	instead of	3 50
2 25	instead of	3 00
1 75	instead of	2 50

Men's Overcoats

\$ 14 00	instead of	\$ 20 00
12 00	instead of	17 50
10 00	instead of	15 00
8 50	instead of	11 00
5 00	instead of	10 00

Boys' Suits

\$ 5 75	instead of	\$ 8 50
5 50	instead of	8 00
5 00	instead of	7 00
4 50	instead of	6 00
3 50	instead of	5 00

SUTTON & McBEE



be only by circuitous routes, losing much in time and adding to the expense in a way to make it wholly impracticable.

Following are the officers of Bristol-to-Lexington Highway Association:

Mr. J. H. Wolfe, President, Spears Ferry, Va.; Mr. N. B. Remine, Sec'y, Bristol, Va.; Mr. James Mafet, Ass't Sec'y, Mt. Vernon, Ky.; Mr. Henry Roberts, Tres'r, Bristol, Va.

VICE PRESIDENTS:

Mr. H. H. Spahr, Benhams, Washington, Co., Va.; Mr. I. P. Kane, Gates City, Scott Co., Va.; Hon. C. T. Duncan, Jonesville, Lee Co., Va.; Hon. Jackson Morris, Pineville, Bell Co., Ky.; Hon. F. D. Sampson, Barberville, Knox Co., Ky.; Mr. Geo. C. Moore, London, Laurel Co., Ky.; Hon. L. W. Bethurum, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle Co., Ky.; Hon. Shelton M. Sauley, Stanford, Lincoln Co., Ky.; Hon. Lewis Walker, Lancaster, Garrard Co., Ky.; Hon. V. H. Phillips, Nicholasville, Jessamine Co., Ky.; Major V. K. spent Saturday night and Sun-

Dodge, Lexington, Fayette Co.

day with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parrett.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bryant visited Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tredway Saturday and Sunday.—R. B. Shepherd sold to C. L. Riddle one wagon and team of mules, price \$400.—Misses Onie Silvers and Edith Adams were in Mt. Vernon first of last week.—Miss

Maude Adams was the guest of Miss Nora Shepherd Sunday night

—Miss Fannie Owens, was the guest of her little friend's Susie and Grace Riddle Friday —Edith Mullings, and Leta Proctor spent Saturday night with Miss Helen Hackney.—Jake Hackney is with his uncle, Jones Proctor at Richmond.

Willis Shepherd was in the Skaggs creek section for some reason

Sunday.—C. L. Riddle of East Bernstadt, was with his brother J. W. Riddle from Thursday until

Sunday.—Miss Mattie Owens was the guest of Misses Mattie and Fannie Riddle, Friday.—Charlie

Shepherd and Ne Son Horst were in Mt. Vernon Monday.—Mr. and

Mrs. Geo. Parrett and children

spent Saturday night and Sun-

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

This remedy has no superior for coughs and colds. It is pleasant to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic. It always cures.

For sale by all dealers

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing

the gravel, cures diaetes, weak and

all irregularities of the kidneys

and in boty men and women.

Regulates bladder troubles in

children. If no: sold by your

druggist, will be sent by mail on

receipt of \$1 00. One small bottle

in two months treat it, and sel-

dons tails to perfect a cure. Send

for testimonials from his and other

states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926

Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold

by Druggist.

FOUND!

FOUNDED, the place to buy Spectacles and Eyeglasses for \$1.50 and up. Gold, Silver and Aluminum Frames. Largest selection in town. Eyes tested Free. Years of experience.

J. C. MOORE
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.
COX BROS. STORE

NOTICE:—The end of the year is drawing near and as short settlements makes long friends, please come and settle up your accounts and we will still be friends as ever.

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MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT. VERNON, KY Jan 16, 1914

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Louisville & Nashville R.R. Co.

TIME TABLE.

22 north 4:59 p m
24 north 3:53 a m
23 south 11:43 a m
21 South 12:19 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.
Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt Vernon, Ky. Postoffice
as second-class mail matter.

PERSONAL

W. T. Todd the barber, is gradually improving.

Mrs. Sam McCure was reported very sick yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Reynolds were over from Wildie Monday shopping.

Mrs. Sproutle and Mrs. Rita Brown were here from Brodhead Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. Gardner of Elizabethtown is spending the winter with her daughter, Miss Evelyn Gardner in Mt. Vernon.

While here serving on the Jury F. F. Robins has been a tool customer of our splendid dentist, Dr. P. H. Conover.

We are glad to see Cashier A. B. Furnish out again after being confined to his room for nearly two weeks with mumps.

Mr. D. R. Brock is with his daughter, Mrs. E. S. Albright for a few days and attending the revival at the Baptist church.

Supt. W. A. B. Davis was called to Brodhead, last Monday evening on account of the illness of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Robins.

Mrs. B. J. Bethurum came over from Somerset Saturday, to visit relatives and be with the Judge, while he is here holding court.

LOCAL

A little cash makes a big noise at Fish's

If you are a bit particular about the quality look for the Fish label

Jesse Orton is the new janitor and handy man around the Court House.

Marshal & Cox, barbers, will occupy the west room of the Rider Building.

"Hominy" DeBord was fined \$60, each, in two cases for selling or procuring whiskey

The Rider store is now located in the East room of the new Hotel Boone Way.

Prot. Jesse Fish is teaching a subscription school at Medical Springs, near Wildie.

L. M. Davidson's store, on the East side, was broken into and about \$25. worth of goods stolen a few nights since.

W. G. Hysinger and Dave Talant took 1500 pounds of tobacco to Richmond, Monday, for which he received 9 to 14 cents.

No chance for a mistake, when you use Pioneer Self Rising flour. For sale by

Jan. 9-8t. J. F. GRIFFIN.

Claude C. Cox has resigned as Assistant Cashier of the Peoples Bank and Charley Thompson has accepted his place. Mr. Cox has not decided just what he will do.

The revival at the Baptist church is drawing large crowds at each service. Rev. Don Q. Smith is doing the preaching, assisted by the pastor, Rev. D. Edgar Allen.

The case against Parks Reynolds, charged with the killing of Bob Childress was continued after the jury had been selected. This case was brought to Rockcastle from Pulaski county on a change of venue.

C. A. Blanford, agent, and Will Owens, the valued Signal reporter of Livingston, were here courted Wednesday. Mr. Owens made a purchase of a fine 27 jeweled Kentucky Wagon Works movement watch from watch inspector Franklin, while in town, to replace one he had lost sometime since on a wager as to his standing with the ladies. Franklin claims that he passed off Will a \$1. Inger soll watch for a 21 jeweled high grade movement.

Every man knows something he will not tell.

No back talk with Table Talk flour. For sale by

Jan. 9-3t. J. F. GRIFFIN.

W. H. Jones is just completing one of the best store buildings in the county, on the site where he has done business for many years at Wildie.

K. J. McKinney bought of R. B. Mullins his farm near Mareburg. Mr. Mullins took in the two residences of Mrs. McKinney on West Main.

G. T. Johnson has exchanged his concrete store building on West Main to Judge Griffin for his Newcomb Ave. residence and will move to it soon.

Dr. W. D. Laswell and Miss Ball, of Berea, were married yesterday. The wedding took place at Berea. They returned to Mt. Vernon yesterday afternoon.

G. T. Johnson has bought a lot at Orlando; is having a store room erected and as soon as completed will go there and engage in the mercantile business. George sold goods there several years ago.

"A couple" said Mrs. Simpkins "got married a few days ago, after a courtship of fifty years." "I suppose," replied Mrs. Simpkins, "the poor old man had become to feeble to hold out any longer."

Much credit is due the present Grand Jury for the way they have gone after the bootleggers. We hope to live to see the time when all vendors of this damnable stuff will be put out of business for all time to come.

The Commercial Club had a very enjoyable and enthusiastic meeting Tuesday evening. Judge L. W. Bethurum, Co-Atty. E. R. Gentry and Chas. C. Davis gave interesting talks on subjects assigned them which was followed by a nice lunch. Join the club and be a "Booster."

The oldest business house in Mt. Vernon is that of Miss Kate Moore; groceries. Was established by her brother J. W. Moore in the early 70's, something over forty years ago. Jonas McKenzie's general store is next oldest business house in town. He began business at his present stand twenty five years ago; the firm being Thompson & McKenzie.

METEOR. While on her way home, near Buckeye, from town, Monday afternoon Mrs. G. C. Fish witnessed the flight of an immense Meteor, the course of it being from Northwest to Southeast. Its brightness was almost blinding and its passage consumed something like six or seven seconds before it disappeared and seemingly fell somewhere near Cove or Pleasant Valley, two miles away.

EXAMINATIONS SET FOR 130 POSTMASTERSHIPS

Examinations for fourth class Postmasterships will be taken at 130 different Ohio towns from Feb. 7 to 14. Kentucky will hold examinations at 75 different points from Feb. 7 to 25. U. S. Civil Service Secretary Earhart, of Cincinnati, will be in charge. He has been instructed that preference in appointment will be given those now Postmasters.

There is not a merchant or business man here today who was doing business in Mt. Vernon 35 years ago and only one professional man remains. The following have passed "over the river to rest under the shade of the trees."

J. F. Clark, J. W. Moore, Wm. Weber, J. J. Williams, M. C. Miller, Jack Adams Sr., and Jr., J. L. Joplin, H. C. Carpenter, Charles Kirkley, J. E. Allen, M. F. Brinkley, James Houk, L. M. Houk, M. J. Miller, Geo. B. Bragg, M. R. Moore, Mrs. Sarah Welsh, D. N. Williams, Wm. Fish, S. M. Burdett, and Judge Geo. W. McClure. Some of those who moved away were: Dr. S. W. Brown, Houston, Texas. Dr. W. P. McKee, some point in Florida; W. T. Brooks, Paris, Ky.; L. M. Frazier Indianapolis; R. B. Stanley and Sam'l Barton, address unknown. John Watson Brown is the only professional man who remains with us that was practicing law in 1877 when the writer landed in Mt. Vernon. He deserted us once for a time to spend three or four years in the Southwest on the Mexico border.

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C. A. Blanford, agent, and Will Owens, the valued Signal reporter of Livingston, were here courted Wednesday. Mr. Owens made a purchase of a fine 27 jeweled Kentucky Wagon Works movement watch from watch inspector Franklin, while in town, to replace one he had lost sometime since on a wager as to his standing with the ladies. Franklin claims that he passed off Will a \$1. Inger soll watch for a 21 jeweled high grade movement.

Every man knows something he will not tell.

No back talk with Table Talk flour. For sale by

Jan. 9-3t. J. F. GRIFFIN.

W. H. Jones is just completing one of the best store buildings in the county, on the site where he has done business for many years at Wildie.

K. J. McKinney bought of R. B. Mullins his farm near Mareburg. Mr. Mullins took in the two residences of Mrs. McKinney on West Main.

G. T. Johnson has exchanged his concrete store building on West Main to Judge Griffin for his Newcomb Ave. residence and will move to it soon.

Dr. W. D. Laswell and Miss Ball, of Berea, were married yesterday. The wedding took place at Berea. They returned to Mt. Vernon yesterday afternoon.

G. T. Johnson has bought a lot at Orlando; is having a store room erected and as soon as completed will go there and engage in the mercantile business. George sold goods there several years ago.

"A couple" said Mrs. Simpkins "got married a few days ago, after a courtship of fifty years." "I suppose," replied Mrs. Simpkins, "the poor old man had become to feeble to hold out any longer."

Much credit is due the present Grand Jury for the way they have gone after the bootleggers. We hope to live to see the time when all vendors of this damnable stuff will be put out of business for all time to come.

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The order was placed Wednesday night for the machinery, wire etc. for the Mt. Vernon Power Co. and before April 1st, the lights will be on in Mt. Vernon.

Employes of the National Express Co. at Troy, N. Y. have been ordered to lay off three days a week, beginning January 1st. Poor business as a Parcel Post competition.

Robert L. Richardson, a Cincinnati salesman, well known in this territory, died in a Louisville Hospital Wednesday, as a result of injuries received by being run over by a train at Lebanon Junction a few weeks ago. He was a native of Berea and his remains were taken there for burial.

CLUB NOTICE.

The Woman's Club held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. E. R. Gentry, on Tuesday afternoon to discuss the lyceum course, that has been under consideration for some time. Plans for this course were perfected and given over to the Commercial Club for consideration. Further notice regarding this will appear later.

The next regular meeting of the Club will be held at the Dormitory, on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 17th at 2:30. Miss Ream will have charge and will give a demonstration of salads. Not only the members of the Club are invited, but every one that is interested in Home Economics.

TO THOSE WHO OWE ME:—If

you pay me your account for 1913 and it happens to be larger than the other fellows, I will make you a present of a \$15. all wool Serge suit, or if it should be next to the Biggest I will give it you a \$5. Stetson hat.

I have a few Ladies and Misses coats which will go absolutely at cost, while they last. I especially invite you to call in and examine my full line of mens and boys all wool, serge suits, which I am offering at the lowest possible prices.

Thanking you for your patronage during 1913, and asking a continuance of the same this year. I am,

Yours truly,

J. M. ADAMS,

Brodhead, Ky.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

In The Matter of MARTISIA THOMAS. In Bankruptcy

Firm Name

Miss M. T. Singleton

On this 7th day of Jan. A. D.

1914, on considering the petition of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge filed on the 7th day of Jan. A. D. 1914, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of February A. D., 1914, before said court at Covington in said district at 10: o'clock, in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable, and that notice thereof be published one time in The Mt. Vernon Signal, a newspaper printed in said district, and all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

WITNESS the Honorable A. M. Cochran, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof at London in said district, on the 7th day of Jan. A. D. 1914.

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Chas. C. Davis
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My Phone No. is (39) thirty-nine. We open shop at 7 o'clock a.m. and run open shop till 9 o'clock p.m.

You are cordially welcome in our place at any time during our shop hours. We don't want to sell you anything you don't want, but, oh my how we do like to sell you what you do want. Let us show you.

CHAS. C. DAVIS
Mt. Vernon
Ky.

BANK STOCK FOR SALE

The undersigned, under orders of court, will, on Saturday January 17, '14

between the hours of 10 A.M. and 2 P.M., at front door of Court House in London, Ky., sell at public auction on a credit of three months the following property of estate of Vincent Boreing, deceased, to-wit:

10 Shares of Stock, Bank of Mt. Vernon, Ky.

11 Shares of Stock, First National Bank of London, Ky.

2 Bonds of \$1,000.00 each with interest from Nov. 10, 1906, of Straight Creek Mineral Co.

For particulars write, or call on

John R. Boreing,
Administrator of Vincent Boreing,
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W. T. DAVIS

Mt. Vernon's Needs In Sanitation

By DR. A. G. LOVELL.

Thru the columns of your paper as the best medium by which the greatest number of our people can be reached, I beg to be permitted to send an important message to those who are most vitally concerned, and in plain simple language so that even one who reads may understand.

The town of Mt. Vernon is face to face with a problem of serious import; one that must be recognized and solved or dire consequences will be the inevitable result.

It has been the boast of Mt. Vernon for generations that her water supply was ample and of the purest and best. Formerly this was true, but many changes have come to this place within the last decade. This valley thru which our whole system of water supply comes, has filled up with residences and manufacturing interests. With this rapid growth of the town, amounting to 12 per cent between the census years of 1900 and 1910, comes the contaminating influence that invariably follow such conditions as we find confronting us now.

We have had twelve or more cases of typhoid fever with one death in our midst within a few months, something unprecedented in the history of the town. Yet this is only a mild hint of what is in store for us if we heed not the warning.

A glance at the topography and geology of the valley gives the key to the whole matter.

The town is built immediately over a cavernous limestone formation which rests on a solid compact magnesian limestone that forms what is called a water table. All the moisture from rainfall and otherwise that comes into the ground and upper strata of limestone finds its way down to this water table and passes off thru springs or supplies our wells. These streams formerly so pure and refreshing, are now by seepage from sables, privies, and other filth prouding sources, which comes down thru crevices, concealed caves and the soil, carrying seeds of diseases and death.

The remedy is, clean up and keep cleaned; and establish a water system that can be depended upon. The first should be done thru ordinance so far as the town limits go and apply the statutes for such other regulations as may be required. All surface privies, privy vaults, improperly kept stables and garbage accumulations should be declared nuisances per se with direct methods of dealing with them; stripped of all red tape and delays, tempered with discretion. Septic tanks should be required in residences without exception in all places where closets are needed. They are cheaper and better than sewers costing only a small fraction of a case of typhoid fever.

A system of water works can be inaugurated here cheaper than almost any other town in Kentucky; the water sterilized and supplied to your residence for less money than you can possibly obtain thru a well of your own, when considering the elimination of dangerous typhoid germs. Until this can be done it is advisable that all water for domestic uses be boiled and that every citizen be "vaccinated" against typhoid fever. This is simply and easily done (if you know how) and renders you immune for a period of three to five years. The doctor should arm himself with a special needle made for the purpose and use the medicine three times, covering a period of 21 days.

WORMS THE CAUSE OF YOUR CHILD'S PAINS.
A foul, disagreeable breath, dark circles around the eyes, at times feverish, with great thirst; cheeks flushed and then pale, abdomen swollen with sharp cramping pains are all indications of worms. Don't let your child suffer—Kickapoo Worm Killer will give sure relief—it kills the worms—while its laxative effect add greatly to the health of your child by removing the dangerous and disagreeable effect of worms and parasites from the system. Kickapoo Worm Killer as a health producer should be in every household. Perfectly safe. Buy a box to day. Price 25c. All Druggists or by mail Kickapoo Indian Med. Co. Phila. or St. Louis.

WITHERS

(Delayed Letter)

C. E. Mullins is with the merchants of this place regular, seems as though Charley is doing a good business for his business firm.—Jephtha French of Colorado is visiting relatives of this place. Mr. French has been away from this county for 18 years. Mr. French will go to Level Green to visit his wife's mother, Mrs. J. L. Brown before returning home. His wife used to be Miss Sarah Brown, one of the counties successful teachers.—Born to the wife of J. H. Mullins on Dec. 30th an 8 pound boy.—Miss Bertha Kinney of London, visited her cousins, Misses Nell and Grace Bullock last week.—Miss Ruth Mullins is with her cousins, Misses Susie and Leona Anderson.—Miss Pearl Anderson has returned from a two weeks visit at Level Green.—Miss Susie and Leona Anderson and Miss Ruth Mullins spent Sunday with Misses Lillie and Mary Mullins.—Born to the wife of Harrison Drew, a fine boy.—Elisha Anderson has put up his stock of groceries in the H. M. Mink stand at Rebinet, and is doing a very good business.—The little son of Spencer Mullins who has been sick for the month remains very low.—W. G. Mullins of Disputants, is clerking in Woodall & Mullins store during the absence of Fred Mullins.

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"Five years ago I had the worst case of chronic constipation I ever knew of, and Chamberlain's Tablets cured me," writes S. F. Fish, Brooklyn, Mich. For sale by all dealers.

FOR SALE—1-16 hp., Huber traction boiler and engine, in first condition ready for threshing or sawing. 1 No 2 Russel saw mill, 10 hp. feed, 65 ft. track, 30 ft. carriage, 3 good blocks, 1 lumber truck, 1 lathe mill, 1 cut off saw and other things belonging to a mill not mentioned. 3 miles of Broadhead near Chesnut Grove school house.

CARINGTON, Jan. 23 Brodhead, Ky.

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